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AMENDMENT

Sir:

In response to the office action, dated April 11, 2006, applicant makes the following election to the subject application as required under 35 U.S.C. 121. Applicant herewith elects to prosecute **Species VI: The Embodiment of Figures 17-22**, relating to Claims 1, 2, 9-15, and 17, of the original application as filed drawn to a *lightweight high performance all sports cross-trainer*. Applicant hereby cancels **Species I: The Embodiment of Figures 1-3**, **Species II: The Embodiment of Figures 4-6**, **Species III: The Embodiment of Figures 7-9**, **Species IV: The Embodiment of Figures 10-12**, and **Species V: The Embodiment of Figures 13-16**, all relating to remaining Claims 3-8, and 16.

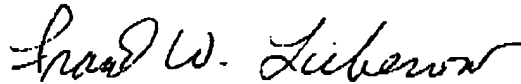
Applicant makes this election with traverse, and reserves the right to file divisional applications for unelected Claims 3-8, and 16 at a future date.

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